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1. PAN AMERICAN (PAA) HAS CANCELLED ITS DISPUTED FRIDAY FLIGHT THIS WEEK, HAVING FAILED TO RECEIVED APPROVAL FROM CIVAIR AUTHORITIES.

2. PLAY-BY-PLAY: PAA'S LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE SUBMITTED THIS WEEK'S REQUEST FOR APPROVAL EARLIER THAN USUAL BECAUSE OF AMBIGUOUS SITUATION REPORTED REFTEL. IN DOING SO HE ASKED DIRECTOR OF AIR TRAFFIC RISAKOTTA WHETHER IT COULD BE APPROVED, AND RISAKOTTA REPLIED, "WHY DON'T YOU LAND ITS RECIPROCAL HERE; THEN THERE WILL BE NO PROBLEM." JOHNSON THEN TELEPHONED NEW YORK AND RECEIVED AUTHORITY TO EXPLORE FURTHER POSSIBILITY OF BREAKING THE LOGJAM BY COMPLYING WITH RISAKOTTA'S REQUEST. HOWEVER RISAKOTTA AND KEY DEPUTY HAVE BEEN FULLY OCCUPIED ALL WEEK WITH QANTAS NEGOTIATIONS AND SUBORDINATES HAD NO INSTRUCTIONS TO APPROVE PAA APPLICATION. WHEN RISAKOTTA FINALLY TRIED TO REACH PAA REPRESENTATIVE TODAY HE WAS OUT OF OFFICE.

3. PAA REP REPORTS HE HAS BEEN ABLE TO TAKE CARE OF ALL HIS BUMPED PASSENGERS; ONLY LOSS TO PAA IS THE BUSINESS. TOUSSAINT

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